

FIRST HBP CURRICULUM WORKSHOP SERIES

UNDERSTANDING THE BRAIN: NEUROBIOLOGY FOR NON-SPECIALISTS

3-5 July 2017

Medical University Innsbruck, Austria

Application deadline: 29 May 2017

Scientific Programme

The aim of this interactive workshop is to provide practical insights into basic and translational neuroscience research for interested non-specialists. The topics addressed range from essential neuroanatomy and neurophysiology, over IPS cells, to networks and behaviour. Plasticity and modulation of networks and signal transmission under physiological (like learning and memory) and pathological situations (like addiction, epilepsy or neurodegeneration) will form an essential part.

Lectures and tutorials will be accompanied by lab visits, practical work and an open discussion round. Experts in functional neuroanatomy, neurobiochemistry, neuropharmacology and psychiatry from Medical University Innsbruck (Austria), the Allen Institute for Brain Science (USA) and the Human Brain Project (HBP) will be available on site.

This workshop is open to the whole student community and early post-docs upon application. Applications from young female investigators are highly encouraged.

For more information visit:

https://education.humanbrainproject.eu/web/ 1st-hbp-curriculum-neurobiology

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NEUROBIOLOGY FOR NON-SPECIALISTS

Education Programme

Scientific programme schedule

as of 24 May 2017

Monday, 3 July

08:30 - 09:00 Registration

09:00 - 09:30

Welcome note and workshop introduction

Christoph Schwarzer (MUI), Alois Saria (MUI)

09:30 - 10:30

The rodent brain atlas

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10:30 - 12:00

The Allen Brain Atlas Neuroanatomy - gene expression

Terri Gilbert (AI)

12:00 - 13:00

Lunch break

13:00 - 16:30 Lab visits*

16:45 - 18:15

The Allen Brain Atlas Neuroanatomy - connectivity

Terri Gilbert (AI)

18:15

Open Discussion

Tuesday, 4 July

09:00 - 10:00

Principles of neuropharmacology

Sandra Santos Sierra (MUI)

10:00 - 11:00

Ion channels in diseases

Alexandra Koschak (LFU)

11:00 - 12:00

Induced pluripotent stem cells

Roxana Nat (MUI)

12:00 - 13:00

Lunch break

13:00 - 16:30

Lab visits*

16:45 - 17:45

Brain evolution: Reflections on the human nature of cortical circuits

Javier DeFelipe (UPM)

17:45 - 19:15

The Allen Brain Atlas: Cell typing and visual coding

Terri Gilbert (AI)

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There is no registration fee. Seven travel grants will be available upon request (European students Accommodation can be provided for 30 students (first come, first served). This programme may be subject to change.

Note: The workshop is a supplement to the online course 'HBP Curriculum - Neurobiology for non-specialists'. It is recommended for workshop participants to attend the online course as a basis for the workshop. During the workshop, participants will have the possibility of taking an exam about the content of the HBP online course 'HBP Curriculum - Neurobiology for non-specialists'.

Wednesday, 5 July

08:00 - 09:00

Modulation of synaptic plasticity and neuronal network activity

Uri Ashery (TAU)

09:00 - 10:30

The HBP Brain Simulation **Platform**

Michele Migliore (CNR)

10:30 - 11:00

Coffee break

11:00 - 12:30

The human brain atlas as a part of the HBP Neuroinformatics **Platform**

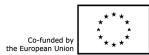
Timo Dickscheid (Juelich)

* lab visit themes

- Addiction / Psychiatry Barbara Pinheiro (MUI), Gerald Zernig (MUI)
- Experimental EEG Alexandra Agostinho (MUI)
- Behavioural Testing Iwona Kmiec (MUI)
- Regeneration in the CNS

Marta Cubero (LFU), Sandra Rizzi (LFU), Frank Edenhofer (LFU)

- Neurodegeneration **Christoph Schwarzer (MUI)**
- Comparative neuroanatomy Barbara Hausott (MUI), Lars Klimaschewski (MUI)







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